[Mr. R. Krishna Pillai.]

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Nor from the office of the Dewan Peishkar.

MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*): Are the Government aware whether he attended the court?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The Dewan Peishkar did not hold any court at all.

MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*): The answer to part (*b*) is "Yes." I wanted to know whether public cutcherry was held in the Fort and the answer was "Yes". Are the Government aware that Mr. Madhavan attended the cutcherry?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): No.

PRESIDENT: Part (*b*) is whether public cutcherry was held in the Fort, and the answer is "Yes".

MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*): In continuation of that answer, I ask the question whether Mr. Madhavan attended the cutcherry of the Dewan Peishkar held in the Fort during the Murajapam ceremony.

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): No.

MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*): I thought that he was not turned out because of his unapproachability. So, I asked the question whether he was turned out for any reason whatever.

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): He was asked to leave the building which he entered.

MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*): Why?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Because the Peishkar was doing no office work. He was doing *Murajapam* work.

Prohibition of Entry of Certain Classes into the Fort during Murajapam.

181. MR. N. KUMARAN (*Nominated*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to say whether any order has been issued prohibiting any class or classes of people from entering the Fort at Trivandrum during the Murajapam ceremony?

(*b*) If the answer is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to place a copy of such order on the table and also to say under what provision of law the said order has been issued?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The member is referred to the answer to part (*a*) of question No. 180.

(*b*) The question does not arise.

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